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LOIBELSBERGER, Karl  
(continued)

emotional and operational: very clever in handling people, extremely popular and very sociable.

He is highly qualified for a leading position in either the traffic or the personnel department of the railroads.

Report covers time up to 1942.

Source: 10,012

Memory: Very good

Judgment: Very good

Objectivity: Very good

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January 10, 1944

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|---|---|
| 1) JAHN, Franz  | 2) Inspector of the Austrian Railroads, retired, was employed in the General Management of the State R.R. NordwestBahnhof |
| 3) Born about 1899  | 4) In Vienna  |
| 5) In Vienna  | 6) Catholic   |
| 7 & 8) Comes from a middle class family                                 |   |
| 9) Single   |   |
| 12) Grew up in Vienna   |   |
| 13) Attended high school, part of college and railroad training school. |   |
| 14) Traveled much in Italy.   |   |

- 13) Attended high school, part of college and railroad training school.
- 14) Traveled much in Italy.
- 15) Became employed by the State Railroads
- 16) A reliable democrat, member of the Trade Union.
- 18) Enthusiastic mountain climber in his youth, and since his retirement has spent much of his time in the Alps.
- 19) Lives in modest circumstances
- 21) Physiological: Tall, stout, gray hair;  
Intellectual: Very intelligent and reliable;  
Emotional: Not very sociable.

He is highly recommendable for a position where trustworthy dependability is of importance.

Source: 10,012 Report covers time up to 1910.

Memory: very good

Judgment: very good

Objectivity: very good

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|--|---|
| 1) RÖZGEL, Eduard, Dr. Jur.  | 2) Decernent of the Financial Department of the Austrian State Railroads, Vienna I. Schwarzenbergplatz 3. |
| 3) Born about 1888   | 4) Vienna   |
| 5) Austrian  | 6) Catholic   |
| 7 & 8) Comes from a middle class family                                    |   |
| 12) He grew up in Vienna   |   |
| 13) Studied Law at the University of Vienna                                |   |
| 15) Was formerly an army officer, and later entered civil service with the |   |

- 13) Studied Law at the University of Vienna
- 15) Was formerly an army officer, and later entered civil service with the State Railroads
- 16) Had always reactionary semi-fascist tendencies, and caution is recommended on account of his antecedents.
- 19) Lives in good financial circumstances.
- 21) Physiological: Tall, dark graying hair, very well-groomed appearance

Source: 10.012

Report covers time up to 1940

Memory: very good

Judgment: very good

Objectivity: very good

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|--|---|
| 1) GRAILER, Iring, Dr. jur<br>Vienna IV, 16 Prinz Eugen Strasse<br>(Address of 1938) | 2) Chief executive of the General<br>Management of the Austrian State<br>Railroads. |
| 3) Born about 1890   | 4) In Vienna  |
| 5) Austrian  | 6) Protestant (probably)  |
| 7 & 8) Comes from a middle class family.   |   |
| 9) Unknown whether married.  |   |
| 12) He grew up in Vienna   |   |
| 13) Attended Vienna University and studied Law.                                      |   |
| 15) Entered Governmental service with the Austrian R.R. and finally became           |   |

- 13) Attended Vienna University and studied Law.
- 15) Entered Governmental service with the Austrian R.R. and finally became chief executive of the General Management with the title Sektionschef.
- 16) He was always German-National with fascist tendencies. Under the Dollfuss-Schuschnigg regime he was a Heimwehr Fascist - later he turned definitely to the Nazi party. He was a member of the Austrian Parliament.
- 19) Lives in very easy financial circumstances.
- 21) Personal description not available.
- 25) He published some definitely reactionary fascist articles in the papers of the railroad employees.

A man of similar outspoken fascist antecedents should not be in public service.

Source: 10.012

Memory: Very good      Judgment: very good      Objectivity: very good

Report covers time up to 1940.

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January 17, 1944

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- 1) EMHART, Marie  
At present in Bischofshofen,  
province of Salzburg. Formerly  
in Sankt Poelten, Lower Austria.
- 2) Railroadman's wife, former  
Member of the City Council  
of Sankt. Poelten.
- 3) Born 1900.
- 4) In Lower Austria.
- 5) A ustrian.
- 7 and 8) Comes from a workers' family.
- 9) Married.
- 12) Grew up in Lower Austria.
- 13) Attended elementary school, worked in a household.
- 15) Housewife, and as a member of the City Council worked in social



- 13) Attended elementary school, worked in a household.
- 15) Housewife, and as a member of the City Council worked in social welfare.
- 16) Member of the Social Democratic Party, 1930 elected in the City Council of Sankt Poelten, retired in 1934.
- 19) Her financial position is modest.
- 21) Physiological: Medium height, slim, dark hair and eyes.

Intellectual: Intelligent.

Emotional: Reliable, very social minded, fearless.

Operational: Very sociable, has many friends and is highly popular and respected among the workers.

She is highly recommendable for social welfare work.

Report covers time up to 1940.

Source: 10,014

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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- 1) RAUSCHER, Franz  
Possibly still in the Concentration  
Camp at Dachau. Former Member of  
Parliament, Gabriele Proft (q.v.),  
could give information.
- 2) Railroad employee, train-  
man of the Suedbahn. Func-  
tionary of the Railroadmen's  
Trade Union.
- 3) Born about 1898.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) His parents were workers.
- 9) Was single in 1940.
- 12) Grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended elementary school and railroadmen training school.
- 15) Became railroadman with the Austrian State Railroads.

- 13) Attended elementary school and railroadmen training school.
- 15) Became railroadman with the Austrian State Railroads.
- 16) Member of the Railroad Trade Union, of the Social Democratic Party.  
Later became a functionary of the Railroad Trade Union.
- 19) His financial position is modest.
- 21) Physiological: Medium height, stout, dark eyes and bald.

Intellectual: Very intelligent.

Emotional: Gay, optimistic, courageous and dare-devil.

Operational: Very sociable and extremely popular.

Very recommendable for re-organization of the railroads.

Report covers time up to 1940.

Source: 10,014

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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- 1) JOCHMANN, Rosa  
Possibly still in a concentration camp. Gabriele Proft (q.v.) former member of parliament could give information.
- 2) One-time one of the party chairmen (executive committee) of the Social Democratic Party.
- 3, Born 1900.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) Her parents were workers.
- 9) Was single in 1940.
- 12) She grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended elementary school.
- 15) Worked in a chemical factory.

- 12) She grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended elementary school.
- 15) Worked in a chemical factory.
- 16) Member of the trade union and the Social Democratic Party.
- 19) Was always in a very modest financial position.
- 21) Physiological: Medium height, stout, straight dark hair and dark brown eyes;  
Intellectual: Very intelligent and politically very well informed;  
Emotional: Gay, very fearless and unafraid of personal risk;  
Operational: Sociable and talkative, popular and respected in workers circles.  
Highly recommendable in social welfare and re-organization and re-construction work.  
Report covers time up to 1940.  
Source 10,014.  
Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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1) POTETZ, Helene  
Vienna XIII,  
Siedlung Am Rosenhuegel.

2) Office employee, last clerk  
in a chemical factory.

3) Born 1908.

4) In Vienna.

5) Austrian.

7 and 8) Comes from a workers' family.

9) Was single in 1940.

12) Spent her childhood in Vienna.

16) Was a member of the Social Democratic Party since her youth.

Member of the Trade Union and of the Social Democratic sports  
organization.

Member of the Trade Union and of the Social Democratic sports organization.

- 18) Loves sports, dancing and is very expert at skiing.
- 19) Lives in modest circumstances.
- 21) Physiological: Medium height, slim, dark hair and eyes, pretty;  
Intellectual: Intelligent and energetic;  
Emotional: Very fearless, diligent and reliable, willing to sacrifice;  
Operational: Very popular and sociable, has many friends.  
She would be very helpful in post-war reorganization; food distribution, social welfare and the like.  
Report covers time up to 1940.

Source: 10,014

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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#2220

January 17, 1944

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- 1) TRSGAREK, Anton  
Vienna XIII, Am Floetzersteig,  
possibly drafted or in concentration  
camp.
- 2) Teacher
- 3) Born about 1893.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) Comes from a middle class family of officials.
- 9) Married.
- 10) c. Has a son of about 17.
- 12) Grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended elementary and teachers' training school.
- 15) Was a teacher in a City School in Vienna.



- 12) Grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended elementary and teachers' training school.
- 15) Was a teacher in a City School in Vienna.
- 16) Member of the Trade Union and the Social Democratic Party.
- 19) His financial position was always modest.
- 21) Physiological: Medium height, slim, brown hair and eyes;  
Intellectual: Highly intelligent;  
Emotional: Very quiet, a strong character, fearless and ready to incur personal danger;  
Operational: Rather retiring type, but has much influence with younger people and is very popular.
- 24) Speaks Russian.
- 25) Has published a book on child psychology, entitled "A Child Grows Up" (Ein Kind waechst heran). He is an expert on youth welfare, knows the teaching staffs of the Viennese schools and would therefore be

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of great assistance in re-organization of the schools.

Report covers time up to 1940.

Source: 10,014

Memory: Excellent

Judgment: "

Objectivity: "

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January 18, 1944

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10,014

- 1) POSTITSCH, Hermann  
Address available through Anton  
Geiger, Pfenniggeldgasse in  
Gemeindebau.
- 2) Post office employee.  
Probably drafted in the  
German army.
- 3) Born 1905.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) Comes from a lower middle class family.
- 9) Was single in 1940.
- 12) Grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended elementary school and professional training school.
- 15) Became a post office employee.
- 16) Member of the Trade Union and the Social Democratic Party.

- 13) Attended elementary school and professional training school.
- 15) Became a post office employee.
- 16) Member of the Trade Union and the Social Democratic Party, also of the Austrian Workers Sport Association, ASKOE (Arbeiter Verband fuer Sport and Koerperkultur in Oesterreich)
- 18) Loves sports, especially handball, is a passionate gardener.
- 19) Very modest financial position.
- 21) Physiological: Very tall, broad-shouldered, dark hair and eyes ;  
Intellectual: Intelligent;  
Emotional: Quiet and dependable. fearless;  
Operational: Rather retiring, but has friends.

As he is well-known among the sport loving youth of Vienna and is well-informed about their tendencies, he would be of valuable assistance in post-war reconstruction work.

Report covers time up to 1940. Source: 10,014

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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January 17, 1944

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10,014

- 1) GEIGER, Anton  
Vienna XVI,  
Pfenniggeldgasse im Gemeindebau.
- 2) Chairman of the Metal  
Workers Employment Service.  
Employee of the Metal Workers  
Union.
- 3) Born 1880.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) Comes from a workers' family.
- 9) Married.
- 10) c. Has a daughter about 33.
- 13) Attended elementary school and a professional training school.
- 15) Was first a metal worker and later became employed by the Trade

- 13) Attended Elementary school and a professional training school.
- 15) Was first a metal worker and later became employed by the Trade Union.
- 16) Member of the Social Democratic Party and the Trade Union.
- 19) His financial position is very modest.
- 21) Physiological: Tall, broadshouldered, gray hair.

Intellectual: Very intelligent.

Emotional: Humane and kind-hearted.

Operational: Very sociable and popular.

He knows the working population in the XVI and XVII district thoroughly and is very popular there. Very recommendable in social welfare work.

Report covers time up to 1940.

Source: 10,014

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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- 12) Grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended the Gymnasium in Vienna, later University where he received his degree Dr. of Arts, (M.A.)
- 14) His studies took him to England and France.
- 15) Was first assistant at the University, later professor.
- 16) He is a real democrat, definitely anti-Nazi.
- 19) Lives in comfortable financial position, but has no financial assets.
- 21) Physiological: Tall, slim, blond.  
Intellectual: Highly intelligent, very reliable.  
Emotional: Quiet and retiring character.  
Operational: Is social-minded without being sociable.
- 24) Speaks English and French.
- 25) He published a book on French painting, concerning Cezanne, and Toulouse-Lautrec, and a work of 2 volumes concerning Albrecht Durer.



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Due to his upright democratic attitude he would be well deserving of a leading position at the Vienna University.

Report covers time up to 1939.

Source: 10,014

Memory: Excellent

Judgment: "

Objectivity: "

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#2274

January 19, 1944

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- 1) SCHWIND, Robert
- 2) Accountant.
- Vienna II. 22, Blumauergasse
- 3) Born about 1898.
- 4) In Austria.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) Comes from a middle class family.
- 9) Married.
- 10) a. His wife was Jewish, is a converted Catholic.
- c. One daughter, about 16, now in England.
- 12) He grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended elementary and commercial schools.
- 15) He was for many years employed with the big printers Waldheim-

12) He grew up in Vienna.

13) Attended elementary and commercial schools.

15) He was for many years employed with the big printers Waldheim-Eberle Vienna VII. Hermannsgasse, as a chief accountant. When the Nazis took over the printing house, he was fired on account of the Jewish origin of his wife. He found a similar job with another business house.

16) A thorough democrat, entirely anti-fascist.

17) Decorated several times in World War I.

19) Lives in comfortable financial position.

21) Physiological: Tall, slim, dark hair and eyes, wears glasses.

Intellectual: Very intelligent and reliable.

Emotional: Very humanitarian.

Operational: Sociable, but rather retiring.

23) Photo enclosed.

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(SCHWIND, Robert)  
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His many years' experience in Vienna's largest printer's office would qualify him for a similar position in some important plant where a truly reliable expert is needed.

Report covers time up to 1939.

Source: 10,013

Memory: Very good

Judgment: "

Objectivity: "

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- 1) FISCHBOMCK, Dr. Hans  
Address available at the Kredit-  
anstalt und Bankverein, Vienna.
- 2) President of the Kredit-  
anstalt Bankverein, Vienna.
- 3) Born about 1884.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 6) Catholic.
- 7)&8) His father was a High Court Judge.
- 9) Married.
- 12) He grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended the Gymnasium in Vienna, got his Dr. Jur. degree at the  
University of Vienna.
- 15) After World War I he was employed in the Army Liquidation Depart-

- 18) Attended the ~~University of Vienna~~ University of Vienna.
- 15) After World War I he was employed in the Army Liquidation Department of the Austrian army. Later he chose the bank career. After the breakdown of the Austrian Insurance Co. Phoenix during the Dollfuss regime a new Insurance Co. "Oesterreichische Versicherungsgesellschaft", sponsored by the government, was founded, and he became the president hereof. When Hitler invaded Austria, Fischboeck became state minister under Seiss-Inquart. He accompanied Seiss-Inquart to Holland where F. was the economical dictator for a time.
- 16) He first belonged to the Gross-Deutsch Party (a small bourgeois party in favor of a bigger Germany). Under the Dollfuss regime he joined the Nazi party to which he had probably belonged even previously.

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- 17) Was an army officer in World War I.
- 19) Wealthy.
- 20) He is a close friend of Hermann Neubacher (c.v.) who today is the economical dictator of the Nazi in Roumania.

21) Physiological: Medium height, slim, dark hair and eyes.

Intellectual: Very intelligent.

Emotional: An opportunist, greedy for money, thinks only of his own advantage.

This report should serve to draw attention to an unscrupulous fascist who in any official position will do the greatest damage to the democratic idea.

Report covers time up to 1943.

Interviewers own information.

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Interviewers own information.

\* Hermann Neubacher (q.v.) is no longer dictator in Rumania but the Balkan specialist of the German Foreign Office.

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- 1) JOHAM, Dr. Josef  
Vienna I. 5, Schwarzenbergplatz  
(1937)
- 2) First Manager of the Kredit-  
anstalt Bankverein in Vienna,  
General Manager of the  
Austrian National Bank, Pres-  
ident of the Bankers Associa-  
tion of Austria.
- 3) Born February 21, 1889.
- 4) In Kleinkirchheim, Carinthia.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) Comes from a Carinthian middle class family.
- 9) Married.
- 12) Grew up in Klagenfurth, Carinthia.
- 13) Attended Gymnasium in Klagenfurth. Received his degree of Dr.

- 12) Grew up in Klagenfurth, Carinthia.
- 13) Attended Gymnasium in Klagenfurth. Received his degree of Dr. Jur. at the University of Graz.
- 15) Chose the bank career. About 1925 he was president of the banks of Tyrol and Vorarlberg. About 1930 he was on the staff of the Kreditanstalt Bankverein, Wien. Under the Dollfuss-Schuschnigg regime he was a member of the "Bundeswirtschaftsrat" (Federal Council of Economics). After the Nazi occupation in 1938 he remained in the direction of the Kreditanstalt.
- 16) He belonged first to the Christian Social Party. Under the Dollfuss-Schuschnigg regime he turned fascist (Pro-Mussolini). Now he is a member of the Nazi Party.
- 19) Has an extremely high income.
- 21) Physiological: Tall, brown hair, bald, was bearded.

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(JOHAM, Dr. Josef)  
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Intellectual: Very clever and shrewd, unscrupulous.

Emotional: Opportunistic and entirely selfish and unethical.

This outright Fascist should be immediately eliminated.

Report covers time up to 1943.

Interviewers own information.

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10,009

- 1) ONDER  
Address available in the Finance  
Department of the Austrian State  
Railroads, Vienna I. 1, Rodenbursen  
strasse, or Viennese Lehmann directory.
- 2) Leading executive of the  
Finance Department of the  
Austrian State Railroads.
- 3) Born about 1890.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) Comes from a middle class family
- 9) Married
- 10) c. He has several children.
- 12) He grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended Vienna Gymnasium and University where he finished his

- 12) He grew up in Vienna.
- 13) Attended Vienna Gymnasium and University where he finished his juridicial study.
- 15) Became an employee of the State Railroads.
- 16) Definite pro-Nazi attitude, probably a member of the Nazi Party.
- 19) Lives in comfortable financial circumstances.

21) Physiological: Tall, blond;

Intellectual: An expert in his own sphere, otherwise limited.

Operational: Has many friends among the Nazis.

This outspoken Nazi should not remain in his position.

Report covers time up to 1943.

Source: 10,009

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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- 1) ZEIDLER, Franz Dr. jur.  
Vienna 19/ 1 Doeblinger Hauptstrasse 5  
(Address in 1938) Probably now in  
Leipzig.
- 2) In 1938 he was Vice-President of the Court of Appeal in Vienna. Now he is a judge of the Supreme Court of the Reich (Reichsgericht) in Leipzig.
- 3) Born about 1884.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) He comes from a middle class family.
- 9) Married.
- 12) He grew up in Vienna.
- 13) He attended high school (Gymnasium) in Vienna. Studied law at the University of Vienna where he received his Doctorate.

12) He grew up in Vienna.

13) He attended high school (Gymnasium) in Vienna. Studied law at the University of Vienna where he received his Doctors Degree.

15) He chose the career of a judge and became Vice-President of the Court of Appeal in Vienna. He is the only Austrian judge that has been appointed to the Supreme Court in Leipzig, because he had treated the Nazis who were indicted in the time before the occupation with the greatest leniency.

16) He was active in the Nazi underground movement before the occupation and is a definite Nazi.

19) Very good financial position.

21) Physiological: Tall, brown hair and eyes;

Intellectual: Very intelligent;

Emotional: A wicked character, a biased judge, unscrupulous.

He should be eliminated immediately.

Report covers time up to 1938. Source: 10,001

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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- 1) LAUDA, Hans von, Dr.  
Veitsch in Styria.
- 2) Manager of the Magnesit Mines  
in Veitsch. (The Magnesit  
Mines in Veitsch are the big-  
gest in Europe.)
- 3) Born about 1898.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) He comes from an aristocratic family.
- 9) Married.
- 12) He grew up in Vienna and in Graz.
- 13) He attended high school (Gymnasium) in Vienna and in Graz. Studied  
law at the Universities in Vienna and Graz.
- 15) He was the Secretary of the General Manager of the Magnesit Mines



- 13) He attended high school (Gymnasium) in Vienna and in Graz. Studied law at the Universities in Vienna and Graz.
- 15) He was the Secretary of the General Manager of the Magnesit Mines in Radentein, Carinthia, Mr. Erdmann. In 1938 after the occupation of Austria by the Nazis he was appointed Manager of the Magnesit Mines in Veitsch. They are today part of the Hermann Goering Works.
- 16) Formerly a "Deutsch-National" party member, from 1934 to 1938 he belonged to the illegal underground Nazi party. After the occupation he joined the Nazi party.
- 19) Big income, very wealthy, war-profiteer.
- 21) Physiological: Medium height, slim, brown hair and eyes;  
Intellectual: Very good business man;  
Emotional: An unscrupulous fanatic Nazi.
- Report covers time up to 1943.
- Interviewers' own information.

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10,011

1) LEONHARD, Otto Fr. jur.  
Address 1938: Vienna 13/1,  
Bernbrunnngasse 34.

2) President of the Court of  
Appeal in Vienna.

3) Born about 1877.

4) In Vienna.

5) Austrian.

7 and 8) Comes from a middle class family.

9) Married.

12) He grew up in Vienna.

13) Attended high school (Gymnasium) in Vienna and studied law at the  
University of Vienna, where he received his Doctors degree.

15) He chose the career of a judge.

University of Vienna, where he received his Doctors degree.

- 15) He chose the career of a judge.
- 16) He joined the "Gross-Deutsche Partei", (a small political party sympathizing with Germany, with 12 representatives in the Austrian Parliament which consisted of 165 representatives). Under the Dollfuss-Schuschnigg regime he was pro-Mussolini and pro-fascist and sympathized with the Heimwehr. In 1938 when the Nazis occupied Austria, he joined the Nazis.
- 19) He lives in comfortable financial position.
- 21) Physiological: Medium height, white hair.  
Intellectual: Very intelligent.

On account of his pro-Nazi leanings and his age he should not remain in office.

Report covers time up to 1938.

Source: 10,011

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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- 1) SEITER, Johann Dr. jur.  
Vienna, address available in the  
directory, Lehmann or in the office  
of the High Court of Appeal in  
Vienna 9. Alserstrasse.
- 2) Judge of the Court of Appeal  
("Oberlandesgerichtsrat")
- 3) Born about 1881.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 3) He comes from a middle class family.
- 9) Married.
- 12) He grew up in Vienna.
- 13) He attended high school (Gymnasium) in Vienna. Studied law at  
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- 15) He chose the career of a judge and became Judge at the High Court of Appeal in Vienna.
- 16) He did not belong to a political party, but was always a good Democrat.
- 19) Lives in a good financial position.
- 21) Physiological: Tall, stout, dark graying hair and dark eyes.  
Intellectual: Very intelligent and cultured.  
Emotional: Very correct and an unbiased judge.

He is highly recommended by Source 10,011 as an honest judge.

Report covers time up to 1938. Source: 10,011

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

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- 1) RICHTER, Paul  
Address 1938: Vienna 1.  
Herrengasse, Hochhaus.
- 2) Former member of the Austrian  
Parliament, Secretary of the  
Social Democratic Party for  
the county of Vienna.  
(Landesparteisekretaer.)
- 3) Born about 1880.
- 4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) He comes from a family of civil servants.
- 9) His first wife died, he is married a second time.
- 10) He has a son by his first marriage, about 40 years old, who is not  
likely to be in the army because he has only one eye. He lost his  
eye in an accident in his childhood. Now he is owner of a store.

likely to be in the army because he has only one eye. He lost his eye in an accident in his childhood. Now he is owner of a store in the 15th District of Vienna.

Paul Richter's present wife is Jewish and is now in England.

- 12) He spent his childhood in Vienna.
- 13) He attended elementary school.
- 15) He was first a goldsmith, later he became an employee of the Workers Health Insurance. After this he became secretary of the Social Democratic Party in Vienna. In 1919 he was also Vice-President of the social welfare organization of Austrian prisoners of war. (The President was Prelat Dr. Emilian Schoepfer.) In this capacity he was very successful.
- 16) He was a member of the Trade Union and of the Social-Democratic Party and a member of the Executive Committee of the Social Democratic Party. In 1919 he was elected Member of the Austrian

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Parliament and retired in 1934.

19) Lives in good financial position.

21) Physiological: Tall, a little stout, blond, blue eyes, very elegant;

Intellectual: Intelligent, adaptable, a very good speaker;

Emotional: Very reliable, gay and optimistic;

Operational: Very sociable, loves music and company.

Extensive personal knowledge of Viennese workers class. Has been very efficient in his former job of Austrian War Prisoners' Social Welfare and is very recommendable for the reconstruction work.

Report covers time up to 1947.

Interviewers' own information.



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- 1) HERBST, Rudolf Dr. jur.      2) Judge in the Supreme Court  
Address in the Lehmann directory      in Vienna.
- 3) Born about 1884.      4) In Vienna.
- 5) Austrian.
- 7 and 8) Comes from a middle class family.
- 9) Married?
- 12) He grew up in Vienna.
- 13) He attended High school and part of College (Gymnasium) in Vienna  
and studied law at the University in Vienna. Received LL.D. degree.
- 15) He chose the career of a judge.
- 16) He never joined a political party, but is a definite anti-fascist.

and studied law at the University in Vienna. Received LL.D. degree.

- 15) He chose the career of a judge.
- 16) He never joined a political party, but is a definite anti-fascist, a true liberal.
- 17) Was decorated several times in World War I.
- 19) Comfortable financially.
- 21) Physiological: Medium height, good looking, gray hair;  
Intellectual: Highly intelligent, an excellent judge.

As he was always anti-Nazi, he may not be in office any more.

Report covers time up to 1939.

Source: 10,011

Memory: Excellent Judgment: Excellent Objectivity: Excellent

Source: 10,005

Memory: Very good Judgment: Very good Objectivity: Very good

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